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Please replace the sequence listing and the computer-readable form as filed on June 23, 1999 in the present application with the attached substitute sequence listing and the substitute computer-readable form submitted concurrently herewith.

The sequence listing and computer-readable form has been amended to include SEQ ID NO:40. Support for SEQ ID NO:40 can be found in Figure 2. It is submitted that the amendments included in the substitute sequence listing do not include new matter and were made in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(a).

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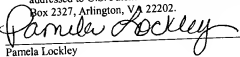
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